



NDC FORMAT FOR BILLING

The 11 digit format is 5-4-2 (XXXXXXXXXX). The first segment identifies the labeler/manufacturer. The second segment identifies the product, product's strength, dosage form, and formulation. The third segment identifies the package of the drug. The table below provides examples in billing the 5-4-2 format.

Examples of 5-4-2 NDC Format

NDC	5-4-2 Format	Explanation
1234567891	01234-5678-91	Add a zero if the first segment has only four numbers.
1234567891	12345-0678-91	Add a zero if the second segment has only three numbers.
1234567891	12345-6789-01	Add a zero if the third segment has only one number.